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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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Federal Advisory Committee Act; Disability Advisory Committee; Charter Renewal

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice of renewal of the Disability Advisory Committee's charter.

SUMMARY: In this document, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC or Commission) hereby announces that the charter of the Disability Advisory Committee (hereinafter Committee) will be renewed for a two-year period pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) and following consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: After consultation with the General Services Administration, the Commission intends to renew the charter on or before December 14, 2022, providing the Committee with authorization to operate for two years. The purpose of the Committee is to make recommendations to the Commission on the full range of disability access topics specified by the Commission and to facilitate the participation of consumers with disabilities in proceedings before the Commission. In addition, this Committee is intended to provide an effective means for stakeholders with interests in this area, including consumers with disabilities, to exchange ideas, which will in turn enhance the Commission's ability to effectively address disability access issues.

Advisory Committee

The Committee will be organized under, and will operate in accordance with, the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) (5 U.S.C. app. 2). The Committee will be solely advisory in nature. Consistent with FACA and its requirements, each meeting of the Committee will be open to the public unless otherwise noticed. A notice of each meeting will be published in the **Federal Register** at least fifteen (15) days in advance of the meeting. Records will be maintained of each meeting and made

available for public inspection. All activities of the Committee will be conducted in an open, transparent,

and accessible manner. The Committee shall terminate two (2) years from the filing date of its charter, or

earlier upon the completion of its work as determined by the Chair of the FCC, unless its charter is

renewed prior to the termination date.

During the Committee's next term, it is anticipated that the Committee will meet in Washington, DC

and/or virtually, at the discretion of the Commission, approximately three (3) times a year. The first

meeting date and agenda topics will be described in a Public Notice issued and published in the Federal

Register at least fifteen (15) days prior to the first meeting date.

In addition, as needed, subcommittees will be established to facilitate the Committee's work between

meetings of the full Committee. Meetings of the Committee will be fully accessible to individuals with

disabilities.

Federal Communications Commission.

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